

**US Environmental Protection Agency
EPA Science Advisory Board
Clean Air Scientific Advisory Committee (CASAC)
Review Panel on Particulate Matter**

[US Environmental Protection Agency, Environmental Research Center,
Main Auditorium, Route 54 and Alexander Drive, Research Triangle Park, NC]

Public Meeting Agenda - July 16, 2001 DRAFT

Monday, July 23, 2001

8:30 am	Introduction and Purpose of Meeting Committee Administration	Philip Hopke, CASAC Chair Robert Flaak, Designated Federal Official, CASAC
8:40	Status of the Particulate Matter (PM) National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS) Review	Karen Martin, Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards (OAQPS)
8:55	Overview of <i>Air Quality Criteria for Particulate Matter (Second External Review Draft)</i> : Key Milestones and Issues	Lester Grant William Wilson Allan Marcus National Center for Environmental Assessment (NCEA)
9:50	Break	
10:00	Introduction to Public Comment Period	Robert Flaak
10:05	Public Comment period (see attached List of Speakers)	
12:00 pm	Lunch (Time approximate)	
1:00	Public Comment Period (continued)	
2:00	CASAC Review of <i>Air Quality Criteria for Particulate Matter (Second External Review Draft)</i>	CASAC
5:00	Recess (Time Approximate)	

Tuesday, July 24, 2001

8:30 am	Opening Remarks	Philip Hopke Robert Flaak,
8:35	CASAC Review of <i>Air Quality Criteria for Particulate Matter (Continued)</i>	CASAC

10:00	Break	
10:15	CASAC Review of <i>Air Quality Criteria for Particulate Matter (Continued)</i>	CASAC
11:30	Chairmans's Summary on the CASAC Review of <i>Air Quality Criteria for Particulate Matter</i>	Philip Hopke
12:00 pm	Lunch (Time approximate)	
1:00	Introduction to the CASAC Consultation Process	Robert Flaak
1:05	Overview of Staff Paper Issues	Karen Martin, OAQPS
1:15	Major Issue Overviews: Air Quality Health Effects Risk Visibility	Scott Mathias, OAQPS Mary Ross, OAQPS Harvey Richmond, OAQPS Rich Damberg, OAQPS
2:00	CASAC Consultation on the Preliminary Staff Paper and Risk Assessment Scoping Plan for PM	CASAC
3:30	Chairmans's Summary on the CASAC Consultation on the Preliminary Staff Paper and Risk Assessment Scoping Plan for PM; Future Business	Philip Hopke
4:00	Adjourn (Time Approximate)	

**For questions or for further information, please contact
Mr. Flaak at (202) 564-4546 or flaak.robert@epa.gov.**

Public Speakers List
Clean Air Scientific Advisory Committee Meeting - July 23-24, 2001
U.S. EPA Particulate Matter NAAQS Review

[Speakers will speak in order listed - maximum of five minutes per presentation]

#	Speakers Name	Organizational Affiliation	Organization Represented*/Date Registered
1	Dr. Fred Lipfert	Alliance of Automobile Manufacturers	same/May 23
2	Ms. Susan Field	Toyota	same/May 23
3	Dr. David Chock	Ford Motor Company	same/May 23
4	Mr. Vaughn Burns	DaimlerChrysler	same/May 23
5	Mr. Al Mannato	Edison Electric Institute (EEI)	same/May 23
6	Dr. Joel Schwartz	Harvard University - School of Public Health	same/May 23
7	Dr. Suresh Moolgavkar	Sciences International	same/May 23
8	Mr. David Menotti	American Iron & Steel Institute (AISI)	same/May 23
9	Mr. Jon Heuss	Air Improvement Resource (AIR)	same/May 23
10	Dr. Anthony DeLucia	Eastern Tennessee State Univ.	American Public Health Association, Natural Resources Defense Council, U.S. Public Interest Research Group, National Environmental Trust, Clear the Air, 20/20 Vision, Clean Air Trust Education Fund, Southern Environmental Law Center, Hoosier Environmental Council, Oregon Environmental Council, Coalition for Clean Air (Los Angeles, California), Hamtramck Environmental Action Team (Michigan), American Bottom Conservancy (East St. Louis, Illinois), Committees for Law, Air, Water and Species (CLAWS), MASSPIRG, Texas Campaign for the Environment, Southern Alliance for Clean Energy, Tennessee Environmental Council, and Natural resources Council of Maine/June 15
11	Ms. Deborah Shprentz	American Lung Association (ALA)	same/June 15

#	Speakers Name	Organizational Affiliation	Organization Represented*/Date Registered
12	Dr. Fred Lipfert	Environmental Consultant	Self/June 26
13	Dr. Michael Halpern, MD	Utility Air Regulatory Group (UARG)	same/June28
14	Dr. Resha Putzrath	Georgetown Risk Group	same/June29
15	Dr. Harriet Ammann	Washington State Department of Health	same/July 2
16	Dr. Anne Smith	Charles River Associates	Self/July 2
17	Dr. Jaroslav Vostal, MD	Environmental Health Assessment Consultants Int. (EHAC)	same/July 3
18	Dr. Ron Wyzga	Electric Power Research Institute (EPRI)	same/July 6
19	Mr. Joe Suchecki	Engine Manufacturers Association (EMA)	same/July 6
20	Dr. Peter Valberg	Gradient Corporation	same/July 6
21	Dr. Cindy Parker, MD	Physicians for Social Responsibility	same/July 9
22	Mr. Dan Greenbaum	Health Effects Institute (HEI)	same/July 9
23	Speaker TBA	National Mining Association (NMA)	same/July 9
24	Speaker TBA	National Stone, Sand, and Gravel Association (NSSGA)	same/July 9
25	Dr. Ron Wyzga	Southern Company Services	same/July 9
26	Dr. Jerome Paulson, MD	Children's Environmental Health Network (CEHN)	same/July10
27	Speaker TBA	National Religious Partnership for the Environment	same/July 10
28	Dr. L. Bruce Hill	Clean Air Task Force	same/July 10
29	Dr. Wes Wallace	University of North Carolina	Sierra Club (NC Chapter)/July 10
30	Dr. John Bukowski, DVM	ExxonMobil Biomedical Sciences, Inc	same/July 10

#	Speakers Name	Organizational Affiliation	Organization Represented*/Date Registered
31	Dr. Allen Lefohn	A.S.L. & Associates	Self/July 11
32	Dr. Renaud Vincent	Health Canada	same/July 11
33	Mr. Howard Fox	Earthjustice	same/July 12
34	Mr. Jason Grumet	Northeast States for Coordinated Air Use Management (NESCAUM)	same/July 12
35	Mr. Howard Feldman	American Petroleum Institute (API)	same/July 13

* Organizational Speaking Slots reserved as noted; speakers may change through noon eastern time, July 20th

General Information to those providing Public Comments at the July 23-24, 2001 Clean Air Scientific Advisory Committee (CASAC) Meeting on *Particulate Matter (PM)*

Background: Under the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA), Federal advisory committees (such as CASAC) are required to accept written comments from the interested public. This provides the interested (and often affected) public with an opportunity to present information and points of view to an advisory committee as that advisory committee deliberates on issues presented to it for advice. In addition to accepting written comments of any length as required by FACA, it is the custom of the EPA Science Advisory Board (SAB) and the Clean Air Scientific Advisory Committee (CASAC) to also accept brief oral comments at their meetings. For details on the July 23-24, 2001 meeting, please see 66 Federal Register 34924-34928, July 2, 2001. The CASAC will meet again on these issues next year.

Oral Comments: It is our normal policy to allocate a portion of our meetings for oral comment. In most cases, where few speakers are expected, we allow each interested organization or individual a time period of no more than 10-minutes to present summary views during each meeting. For meetings on controversial issues, or where large numbers of presenters may request speaking time, we are often forced to reduce the time each individual or organization may speak in order to accommodate everyone, while still giving the review panel sufficient time to address the issues under review. For this meeting, we had allocated 2.5 hours for the public comment period (later expanded to 3 hours). As of the close of the speakers registration period (noon, Friday, July 13, 2001), thirty-five organizations or speakers have registered for speaking time. To accommodate these speakers, and to allow each a fair and equal opportunity to be heard, we will follow these procedures:

- S** Each of the 35 speakers may have five (5) minutes to summarize their views - this can be supplemented by any amount of written testimony.
- S** Speakers may not “give” their registered time to another speaker to extend that speakers’ time. This is done to maintain fairness so that each speaker has a similar (and equal) opportunity to speak.
- S** Speakers not on the registered speaker list at the time the Agenda is finalized [at noon ET, Friday, July 20, 2001] will not be able to make a presentation at the meeting. This will accommodate several organizations that have requested time, but who have yet to identify their speaker. Please contact the CASAC Designated Federal Officer (DFO - see below) in the event of last minute speaker changes, however, no new speaker slots will be available.
- S** The public comment period at the meeting will begin on or about 10:00 am on Monday July 23, 2001. We will break for lunch about 12:00 noon and resume the comment period at 1:00 pm. The comment period will end on or about 2:00 pm. Speakers will speak in the order they are listed on the attached speaker list (in the order their request was received). Please be prompt.

- S** As usual, you may speak from the podium, a seat at the table, or while standing. A microphone, large screen, overhead projector, and 35mm slide projector will be available for your use. One individual has requested a PC (with Power Point) and projector be available. Please contact the DFO if you wish to use a Power Point presentation as well.
- S** Speakers should give copies of their presentation materials (copies of overheads, etc.) to the CASAC DFO prior to making their presentation.

We expect that oral summary comments will highlight the most important scientific and technical issues of concern to the speaker AND which are relevant to the issue under review. Normally, such oral comments will usually be supplemented by more detailed written comments. Comments should not repeat comments previously presented before the CASAC or SAB. We will strictly monitor the time allocated to per speaker, so be sure that you are succinct and focus on the most important issues you wish to raise. Use written materials to supplement or complement your oral presentation. If you desire to engage the Committee in some discussion of a major point during your presentation, please leave some of your time for that purpose. If you use overheads, please bring sufficient copies for the Committee and at least some for the other members of the public (usually 35 copies is appropriate).

Written Comments: Written comments of any length will be accepted through Tuesday, July 24, 2001 close of the meeting. Written comments received sufficiently prior to the meeting are sent to the Committee in advance of the meeting. If sufficient copies are provided by the authors at the meeting, copies will be provided to the Committee at that time -- otherwise they will be copied and distributed afterwards.

Written Comments to EPA: The Agency often has a separate public comment period for their draft documents that are the subject of CASAC review. The schedule for these comments and the resultant comments themselves are a separate process from the public comments process of CASAC (see 66 Federal Register 18929, April 12, 2001 and 66 Federal Register 32621, June 15, 2001). If the Agency public comment period closes prior to the CASAC meeting, the Agency may provide CASAC with a summary of the issues raised in the public comments. Otherwise, CASAC usually does not see these comments. In fact, CASAC is, in many respects, a source of public comments just like other public groups and individuals.

Meeting Agenda: The Draft Meeting Agenda will be posted to the SAB Website (<http://www.epa.gov/sab>) By noon on Monday, July 23, 2001.

If you have any questions concerning this draft agenda or the meeting itself, or if you require a correction in your time slot (for those providing oral comment), please contact the CASAC DFO at:

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